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# BOUND and BAGGED in BAGHDAD



MEANWHILE, NEARBY...



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NO, BUT TO COME ALL THIS WAY IN SEARCH OF ALI CAT, WHO ESCAPED FROM BAGHDAD, IS RIDICULOUS!



OUR EFFORTS WILL BE REWARDED IF WE... SHHHH! WAIT A MINUTE!



NEXT TIME I CATCH YOU, I'LL ARREST YOU, YOU ALLEY CAT!

(WHEW!) IT'S NICE TO BE OUT OF THE BAG, DAD!



ALI CAT?

OUT OF BAGHDAD?



LET THAT BE A LESSON TO YOU!

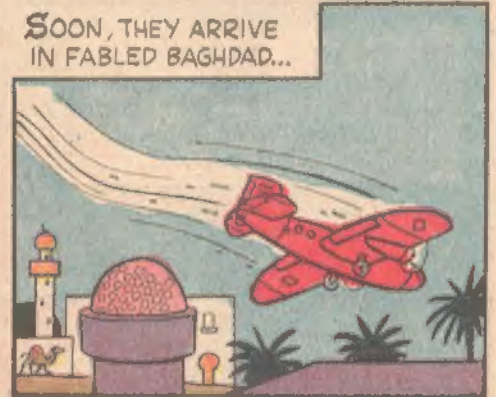
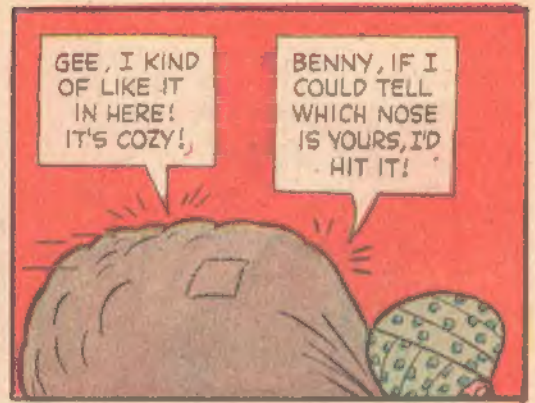


GEE WHIZ! EVERY PLACE YOU GO YOU SEE DIBBLE!

YOU WON'T SEE HIM THE NEXT PLACE YOU GO! GRAB THEM ALL, AHMED!









BOO-HOO-HOO! I'LL WITHER AWAY TO A MERE TWO HUNDRED POUNDS WITHOUT ALI CAT HERE!



BEGGING YOUR OBVIOUSLY ROYAL PARDON, WHO IS THIS ALI CAT CAT?

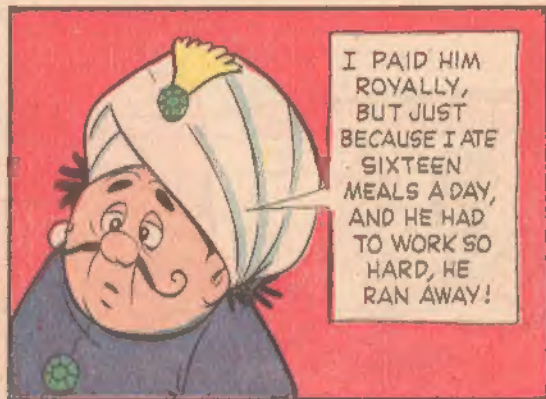
MY OWN PRIVATE COOK, YOU FOOL!



HE MADE ME ALL THE MOST DELECTABLE DISHES! ALBKIN ALA PILOOF...ROAST DRANKAR WITH GALUNK SAUCE...



I PAID HIM ROYALLY, BUT JUST BECAUSE I ATE SIXTEEN MEALS A DAY, AND HE HAD TO WORK SO HARD, HE RAN AWAY!



HE LEFT A NOTE SAYING HE WAS GOING TO AMERICA WHERE PEOPLE ONLY EAT THREE TIMES A DAY!



IT'S A SAD STORY! IF WE SEE HIM WHEN WE GET HOME, WE'LL TELL HIM TO WRITE!

HALT!

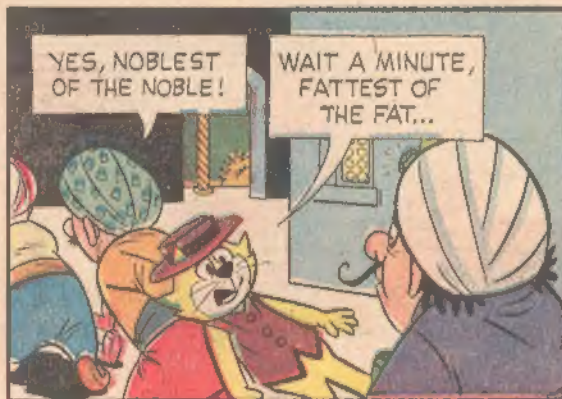


LOCK THEM IN THE DUNGEON FOR TWENTY YEARS FOR SPOILING MY APPETITE! AND LOCK YOURSELVES IN WITH THEM!

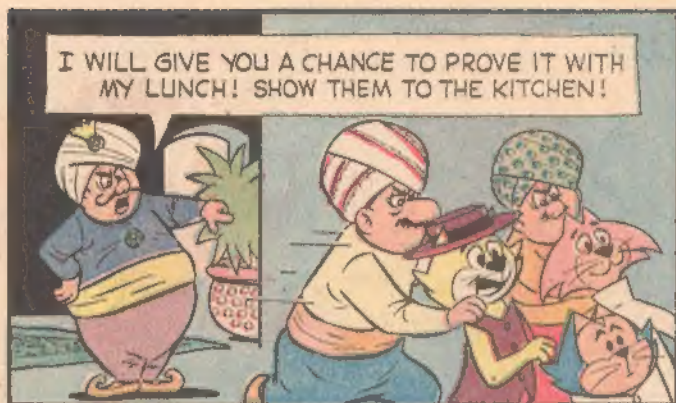


YES, NOBLEST OF THE NOBLE!

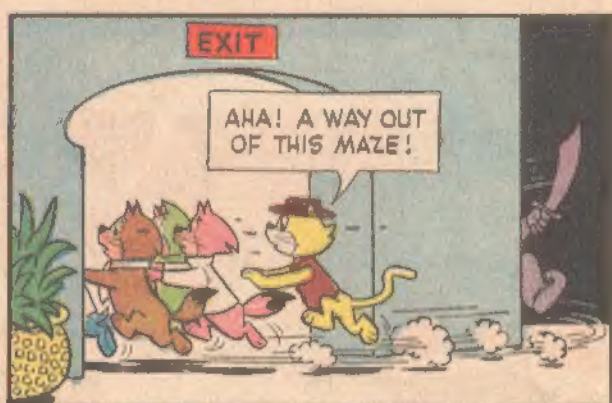
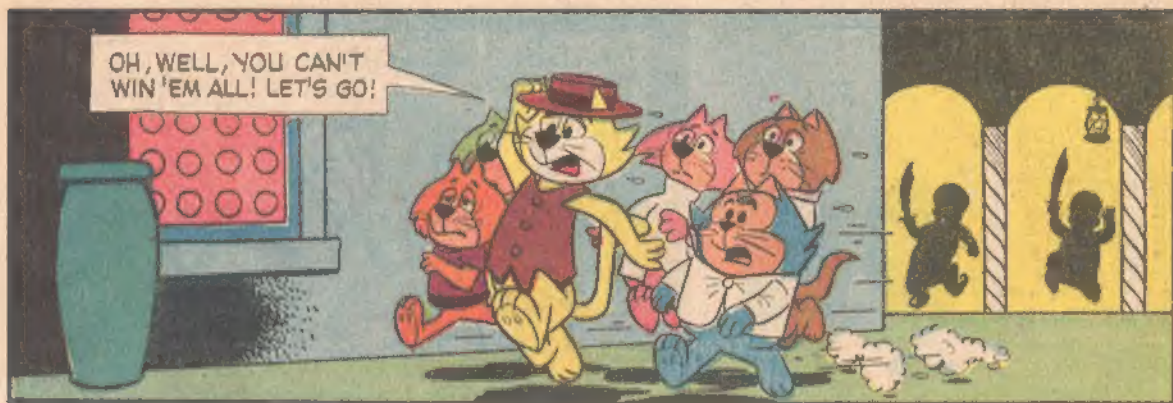
WAIT A MINUTE, FATTEST OF THE FAT...













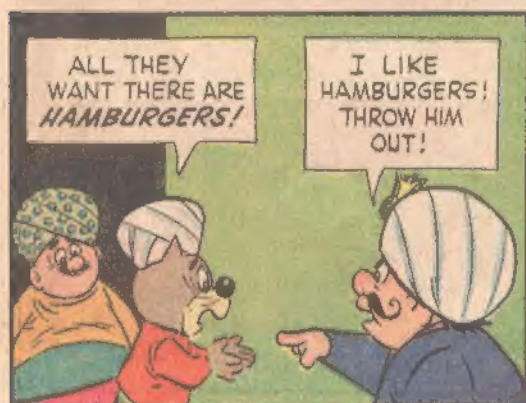
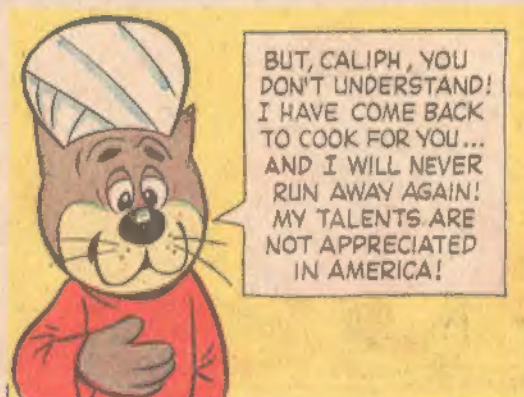
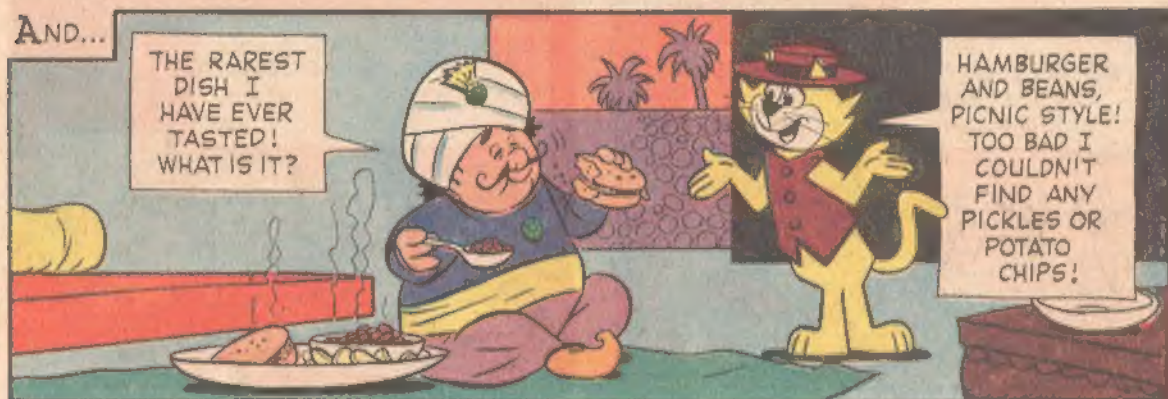
SO, THE CATS  
GET ONE MORE  
CHANCE...



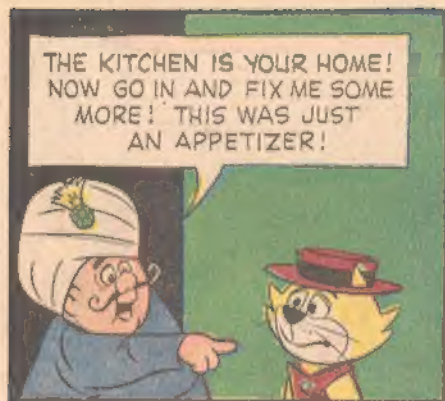
I'M NOT GOING TO TRY! HERE ARE  
SHOPPING LISTS! YOU GUYS ROUND  
UP AS MANY OF THESE THINGS AS  
YOU CAN!



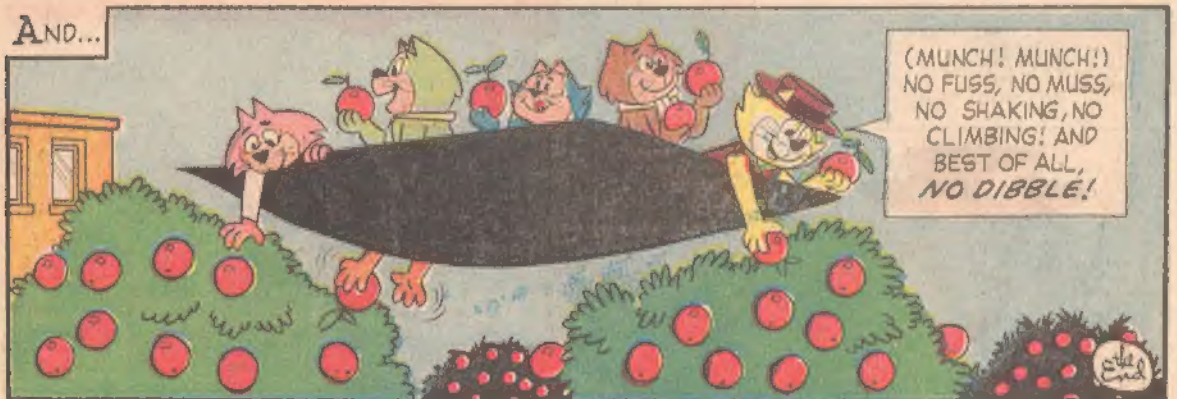
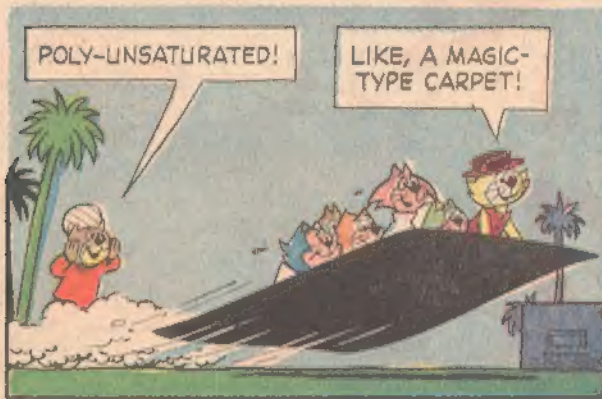
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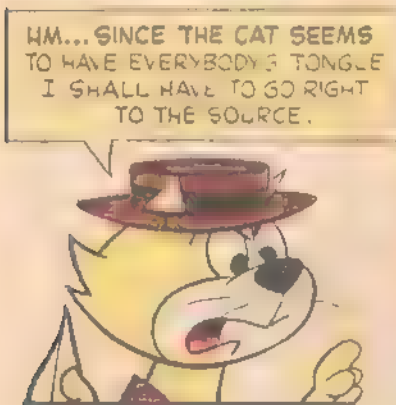
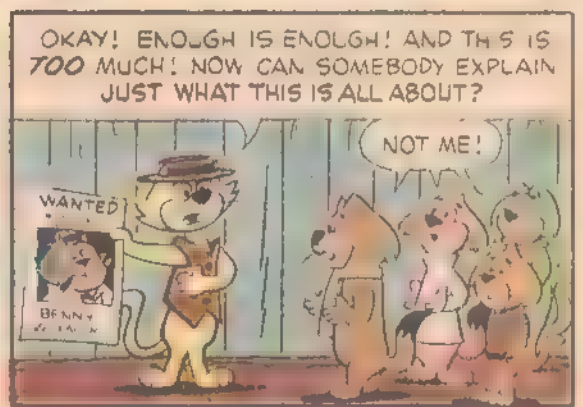




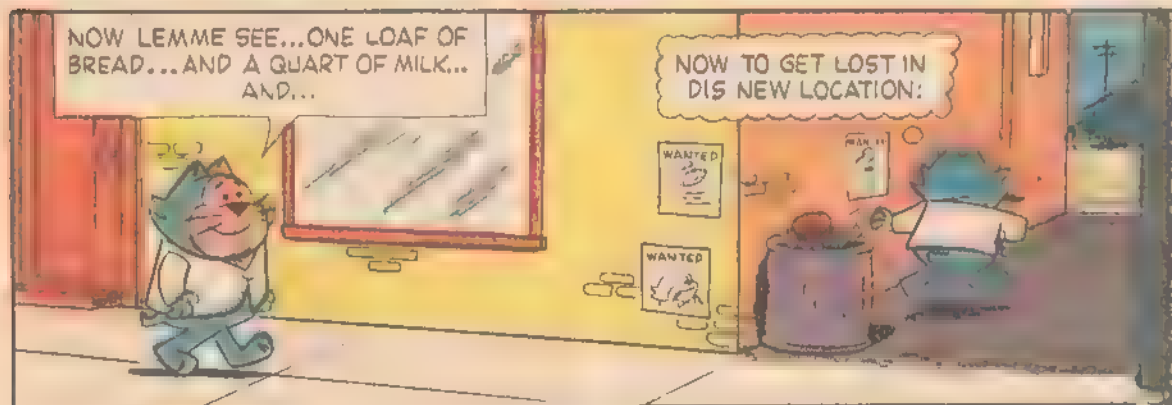
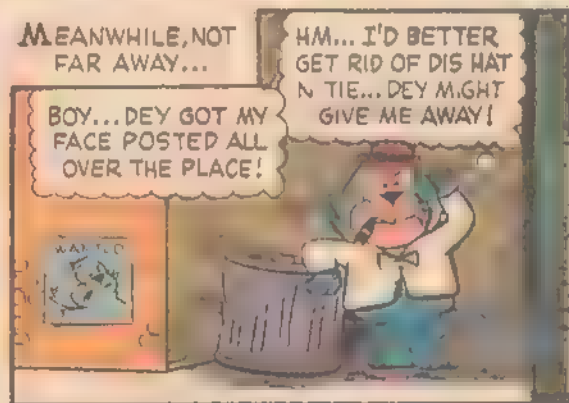
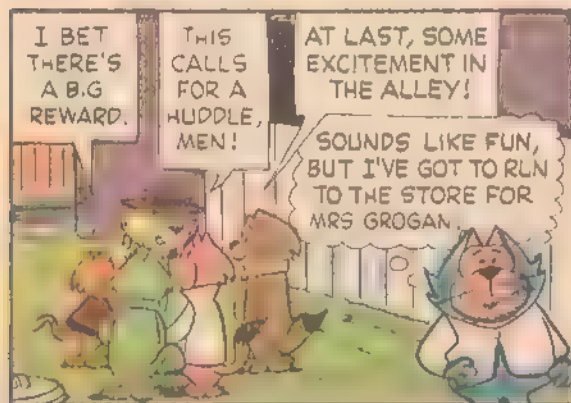
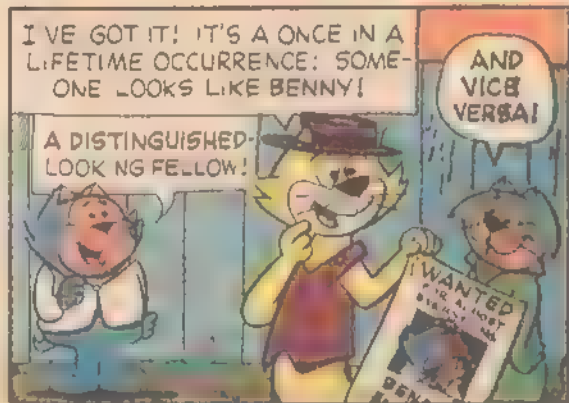
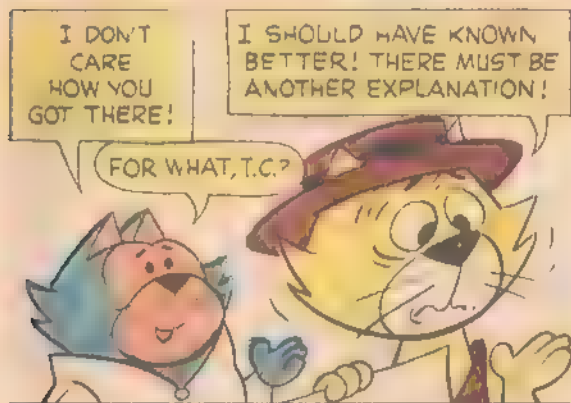
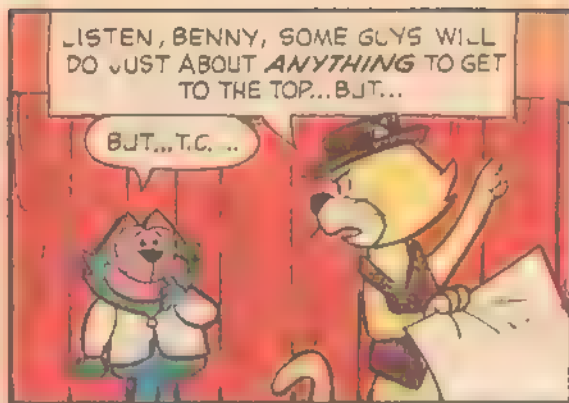


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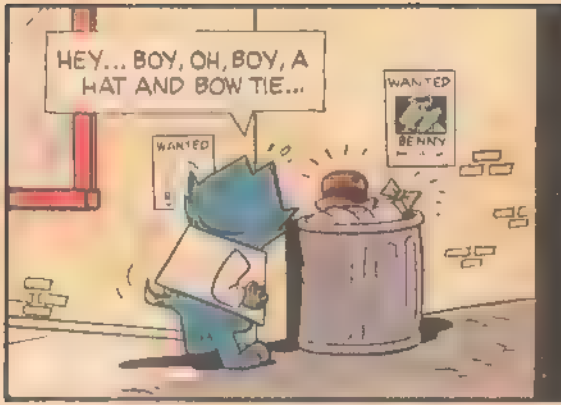
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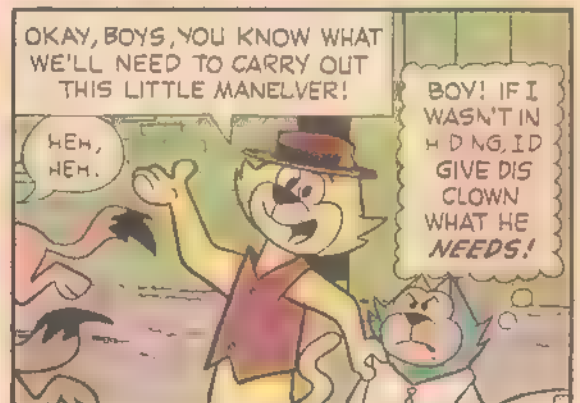
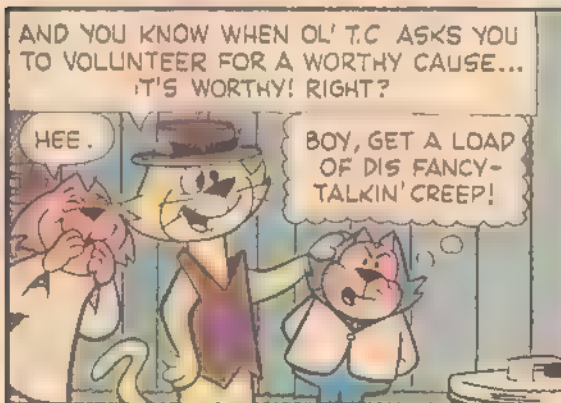
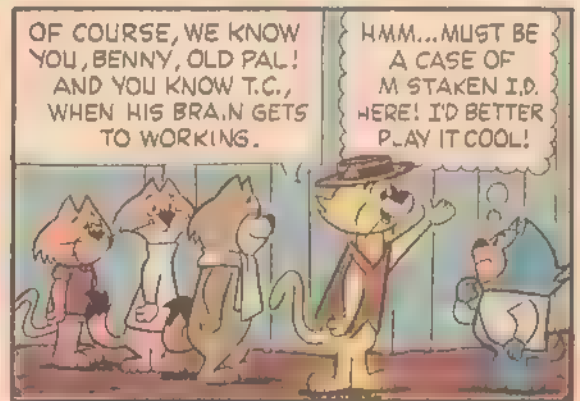
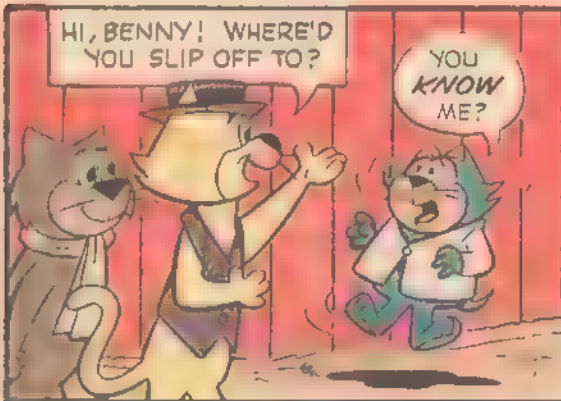
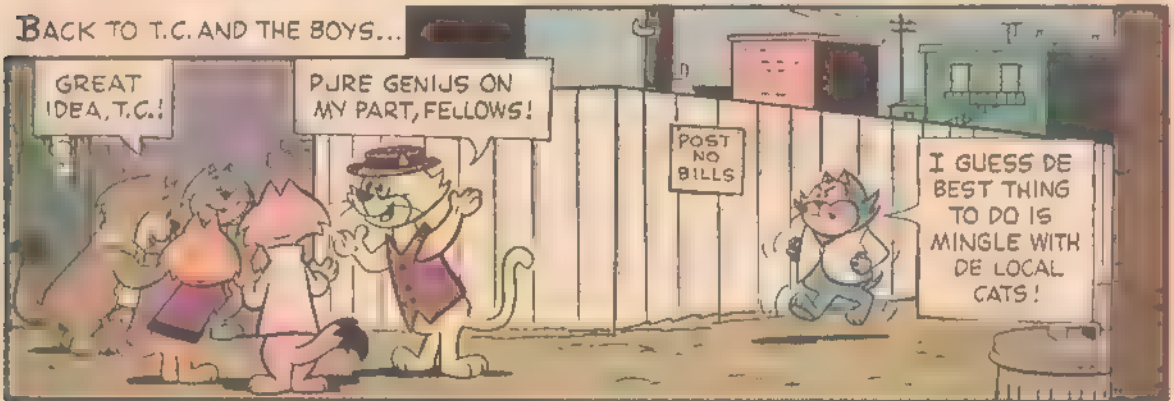




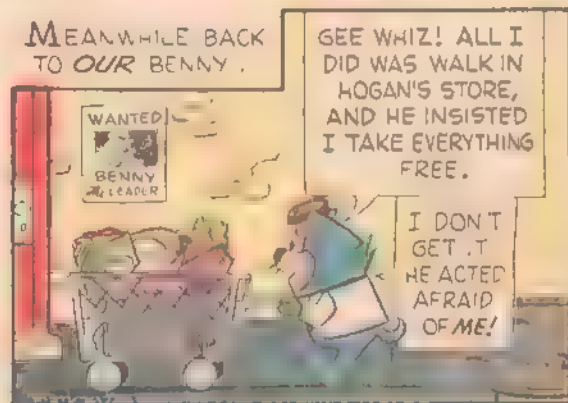
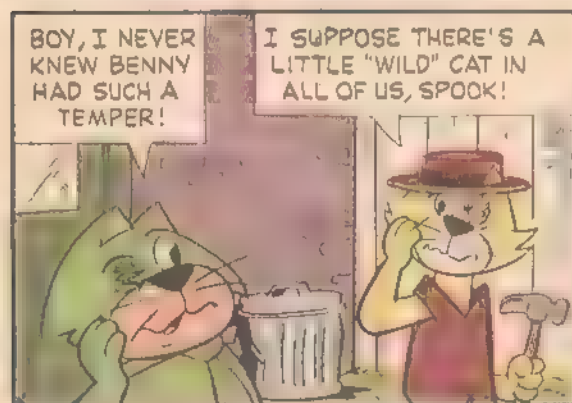
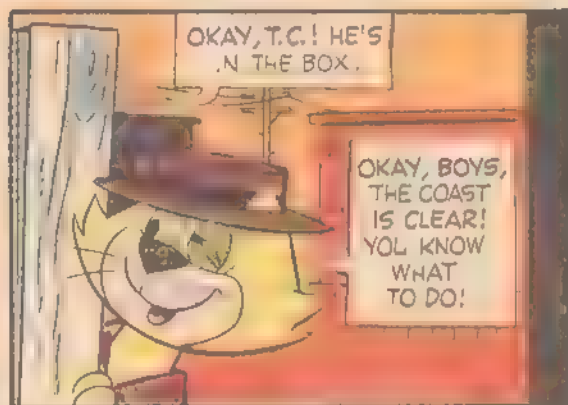
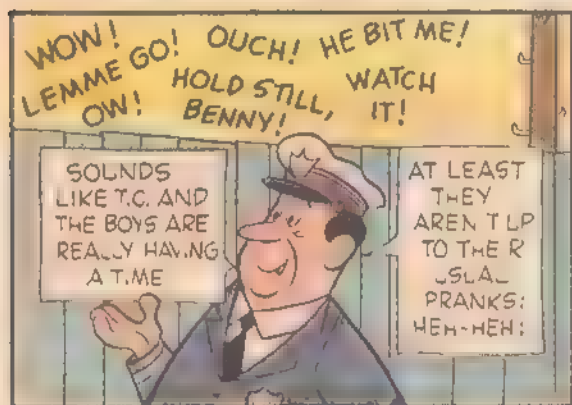
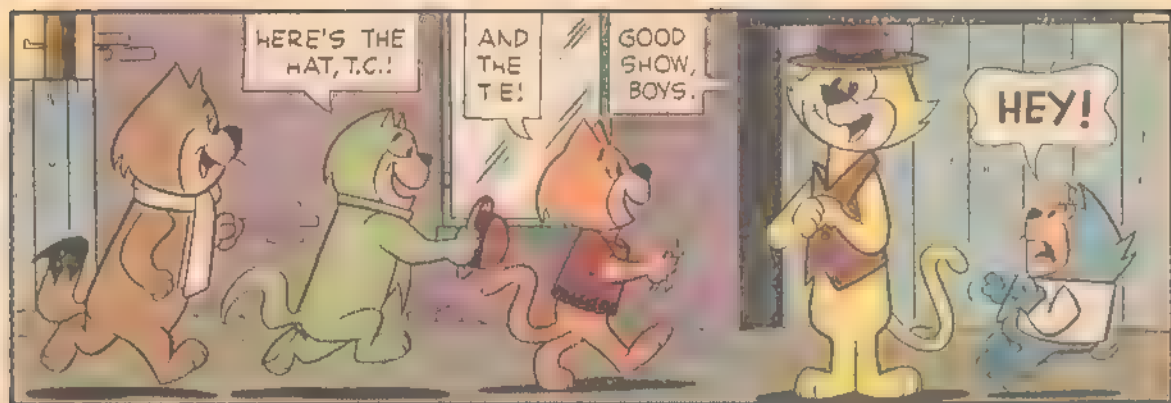




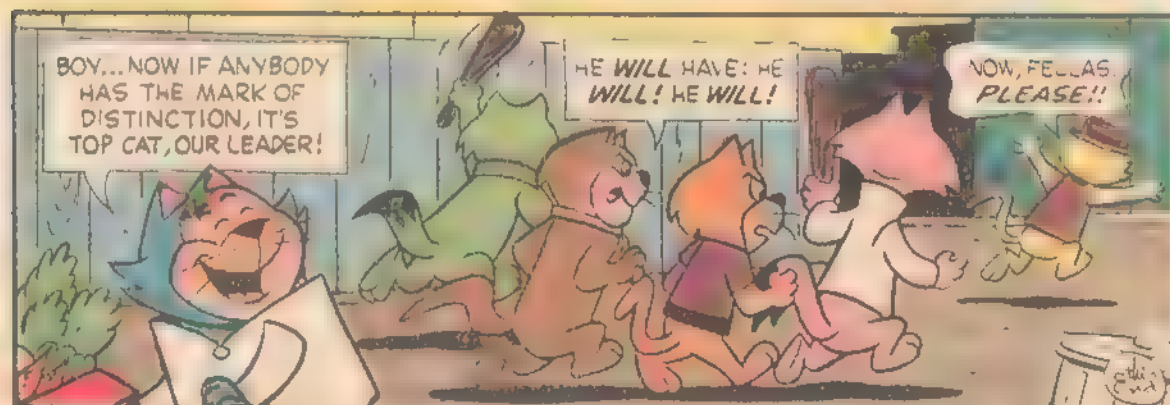
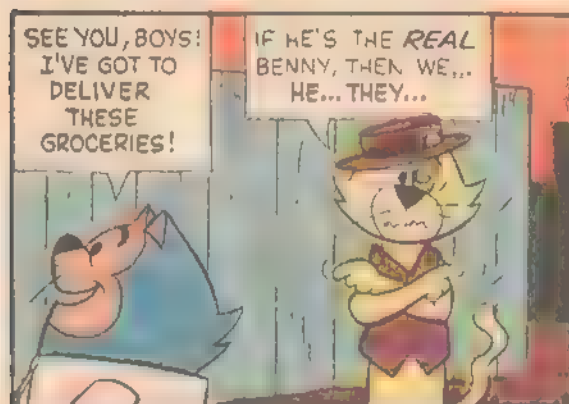
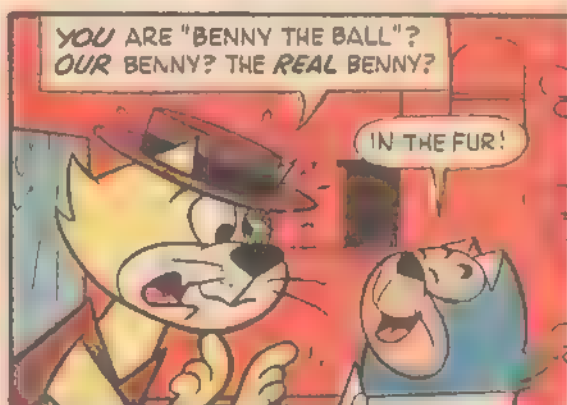
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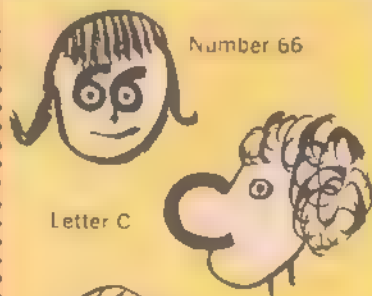


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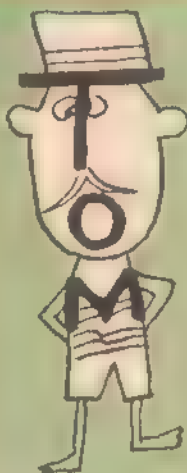


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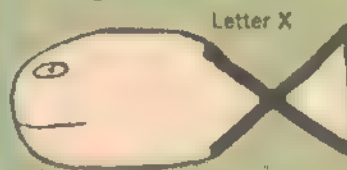


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**Policeman:** Didn't you see that 25 mile per hour sign?

**Lady:** No, Officer, I was going too fast to see it.  
Dana Smith—Evanston, Illinois

**Riddle:** What bow can't be untied?

**Answer:** A rainbow.

Susan Lee Martinson—Camarillo, California

**Visitor:** I wonder what that tiger would say if it could talk?

**Zookeeper:** It would probably say 'Pardon me, sir, but I'm a leopard.'

Sylvia Bryant—Edmonton, Alberta, Canada

**Chip:** Don't you ever get tired of hearing yourself talk?

**Roger:** No, I never listen.

Kerry Graser—Mission, South Dakota

**Riddle:** What did one arithmetic book say to the other?

**Answer:** I've got problems.

Laure MacLeod—Petaw, Ontario, Canada

**Teacher:** How would you punctuate this sentence: "I saw a five-dollar bill on the sidewalk."

**Jimmy:** I'd make a dash after it.

Russell Shinn—Boise, Idaho

**Mr. A:** Is your water supply healthy?

**Mr. B:** Certainly, we only use well water.

Kevin Nea Jackson—Natalia, Texas

**Riddle:** Why don't carpenters believe in stone?

**Answer:** Because they never saw it.

John MacKay—Florence, Massachusetts

**Riddle:** Why does lightning shock people?

**Answer:** Because it doesn't know how to conduct itself.

Mark Hiscock—Stamford, Connecticut

**Riddle:** What nut is like a sneeze?

**Answer:** A cashew nut.

Pattie Marie White—Stamford, Connecticut

**Bobby:** Hello. Yes. You don't say? Well, goodbye.

**Mack:** Who was that?

**Bobby:** He didn't say.

Leo Pilon—Toronto, Ontario, Canada

**Riddle:** What must you pay to go to school?

**Answer:** Attention.

Tina Lim—Oakland, California

**Riddle:** What is the best butter in the world?

**Answer:** A goat.

Tricia Powell—San Jose, California

**She:** Let's exchange presents.

**He:** I always exchange yours.

Mark Nicholson—Laurel, Maryland

**Tourist:** This looks like a good river for fish.

**Fisherman:** It sure is. I can't get any of them to come out.

Myra Oria—New York, New York

**Riddle:** How did the firefly feel when he ran into a fan?

**Answer:** He was delighted.

Darre Green—St. Charles, Virginia

**Riddle:** What fish is man's best friend?

**Answer:** Dogfish.

Carol Joe Ienbeck—Mascoutah, Illinois

**Teacher:** I told you to draw a ring. That's a square you drew.

**Tommy:** I know—it's a boxing ring.

Steven Ewing—Arington, Kansas

**Riddle:** Why do you forget a tooth after it is pulled?

**Answer:** Because it goes right out of your head?

Beverly Hart—E. Cleveland, Ohio

**Mother:** Marvin, did you put the light out?

**Marvin:** How would I know? It's too dark to see.

Doreen Ranzford—Toledo, Ohio

**Riddle:** When is a boat affectionate?

**Answer:** When it hugs the shore.

James Toretta—Asbury, New Jersey

**Riddle:** What is the hardest thing about learning to ride a bicycle?

**Answer:** The pavement.

Kerry Miller—Mosers River, Nova Scotia, Canada

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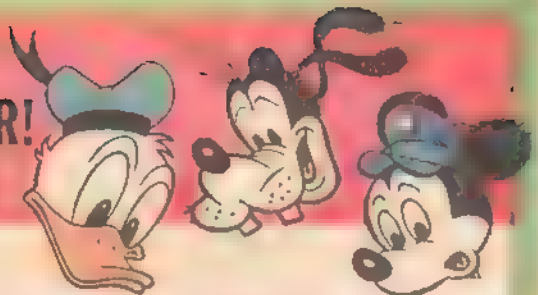
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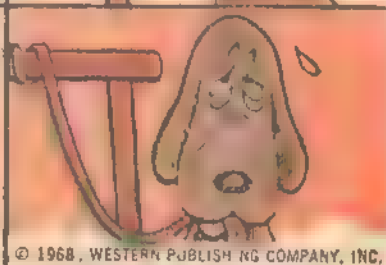
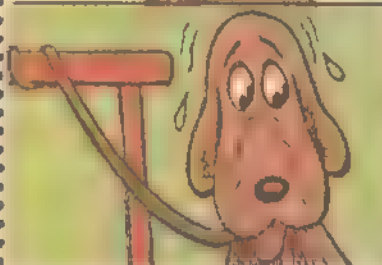
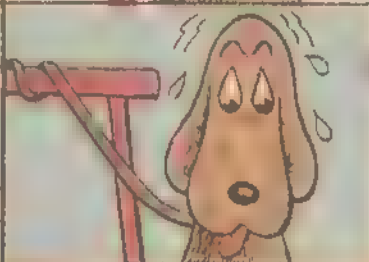
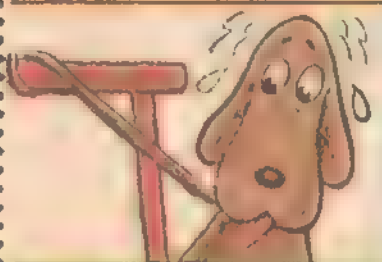
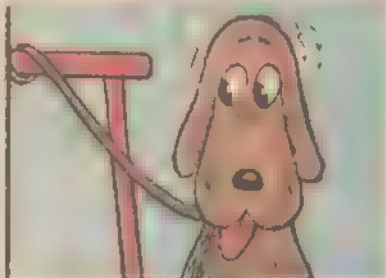
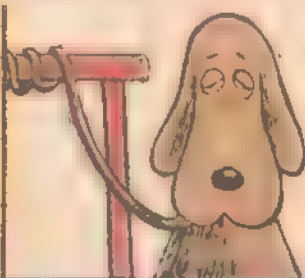
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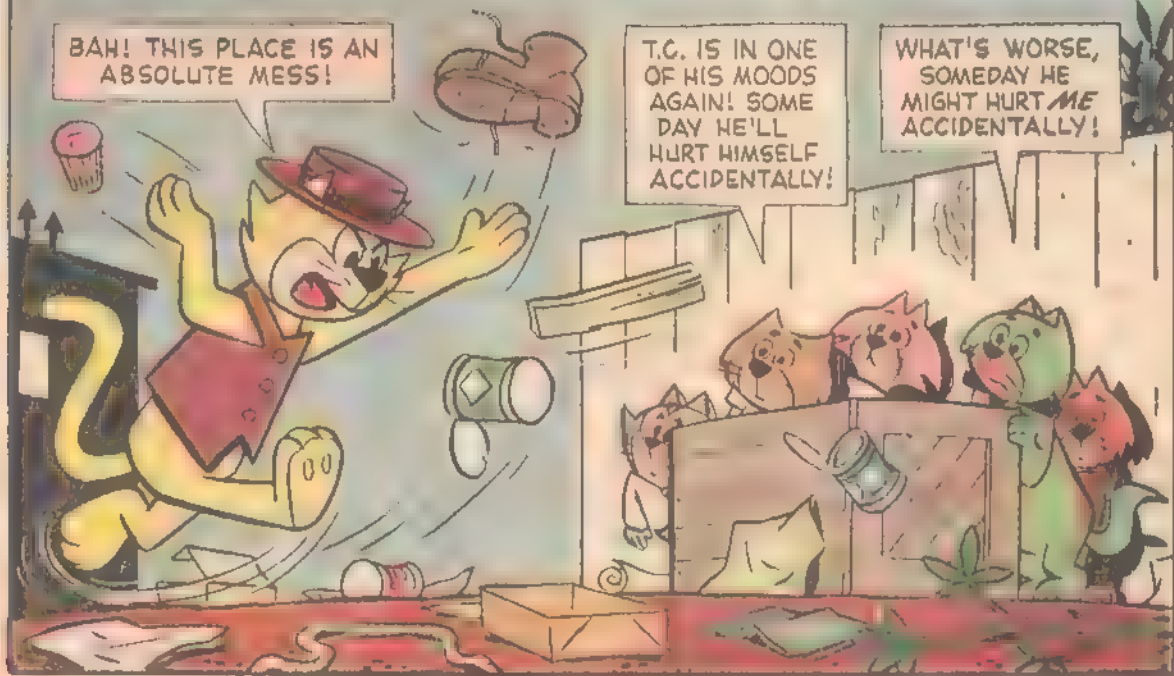
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# AMUSEMENT PARK PANIC

BAH! THIS PLACE IS AN  
ABSOLUTE MESS!

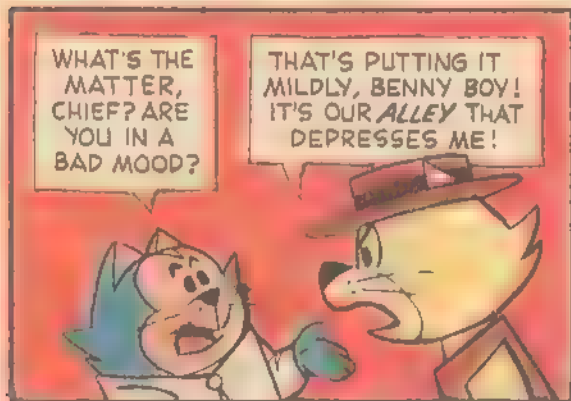
T.C. IS IN ONE  
OF HIS MOODS  
AGAIN! SOME  
DAY HE'LL  
HURT HIMSELF  
ACCIDENTALLY!

WHAT'S WORSE,  
SOMEDAY HE  
MIGHT HURT *ME*  
ACCIDENTALLY!



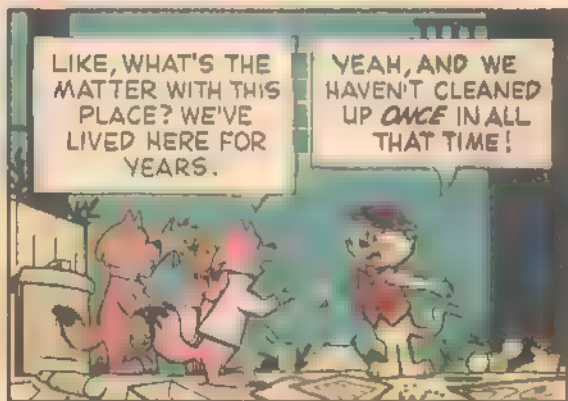
WHAT'S THE  
MATTER,  
CHIEF? ARE  
YOU IN A  
BAD MOOD?

THAT'S PUTTING IT  
MILDLY, BENNY BOY!  
IT'S OUR *ALLEY* THAT  
DEPRESSES ME!

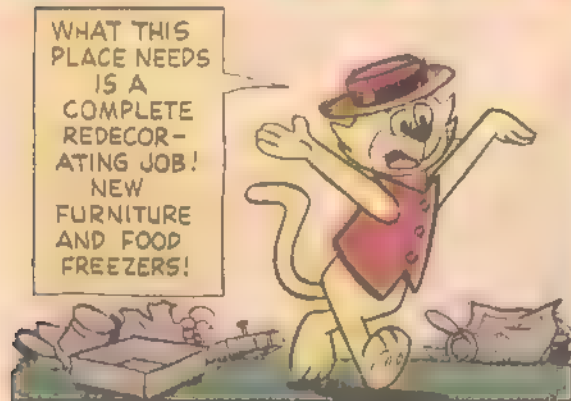


LIKE, WHAT'S THE  
MATTER WITH THIS  
PLACE? WE'VE  
LIVED HERE FOR  
YEARS.

YEAH, AND WE  
HAVEN'T CLEANED  
UP *ONCE* IN ALL  
THAT TIME!

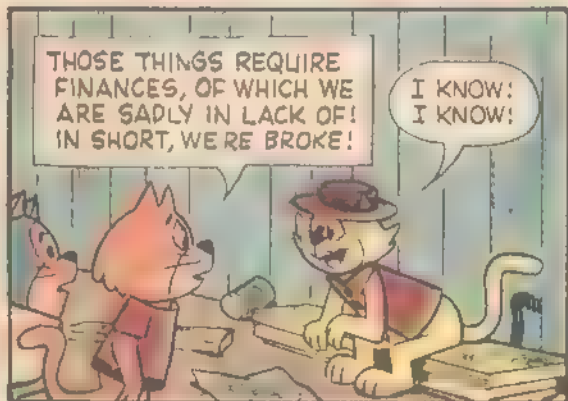


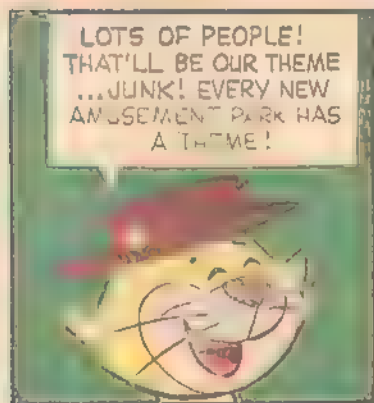
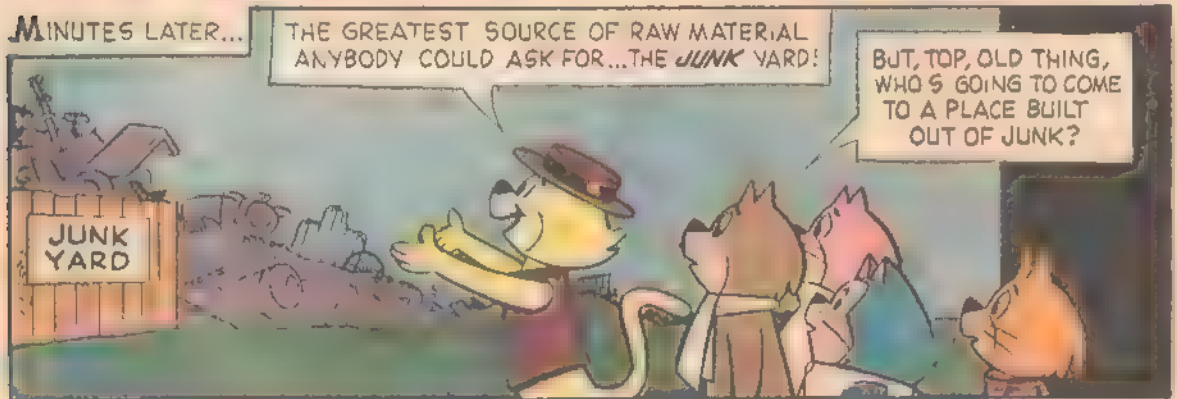
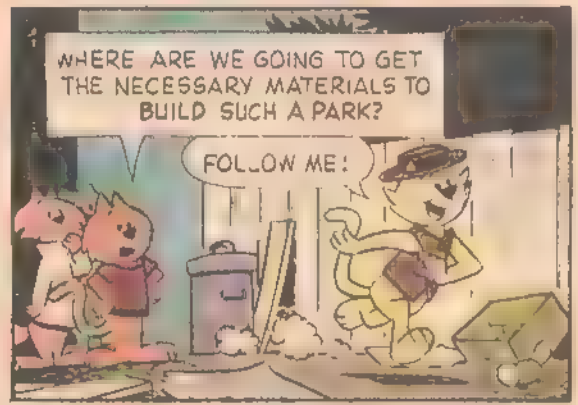
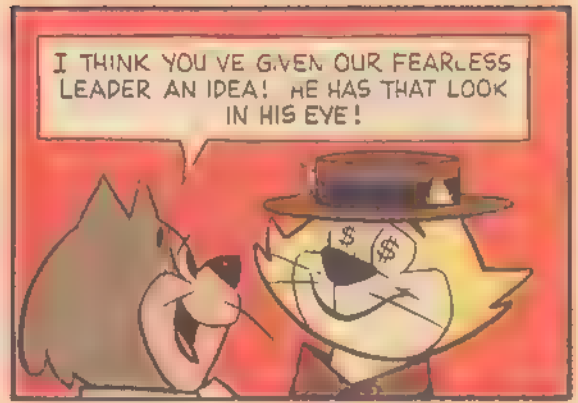
WHAT THIS  
PLACE NEEDS  
IS A  
COMPLETE  
REDECOR-  
ATING JOB!  
NEW  
FURNITURE  
AND FOOD  
FREEZERS!



THOSE THINGS REQUIRE  
FINANCES, OF WHICH WE  
ARE SADLY IN LACK OF!  
IN SHORT, WE'RE BROKE!

I KNOW!  
I KNOW!







IN A FEW SHORT DAYS,  
THE CATS HAVE  
COMPLETED THEIR PARK...

HA! HA!  
JUNKLAND!  
ISN'T THAT  
A RIOT?

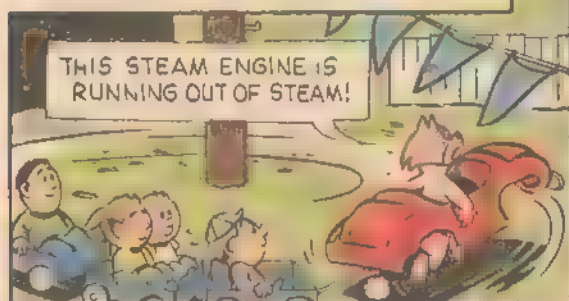
THAT LOOKS  
LIKE FUN!

JUNKLAND



AND EACH CAT RUNS AN ATTRACTION  
MOST SUITED TO HIM! CHOO CHOO  
RUNS THE TRAIN...

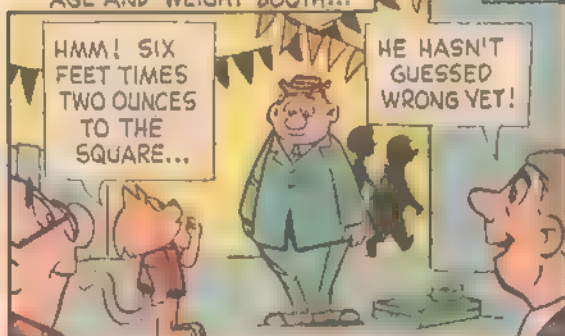
THIS STEAM ENGINE IS  
RUNNING OUT OF STEAM!



BRAIN HAS THE 'GUESS YOUR  
AGE AND WEIGHT' BOOTH...

HMM! SIX  
FEET TIMES  
TWO OUNCES  
TO THE  
SQUARE...

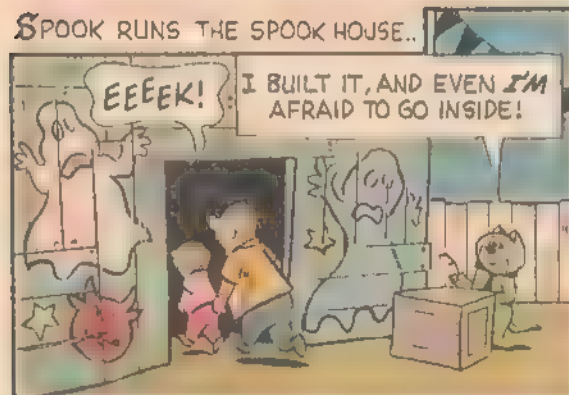
HE HASN'T  
GUESSED  
WRONG YET!



SPOOK RUNS THE SPOOK HOUSE...

EEEEK!

I BUILT IT, AND EVEN *I'M*  
AFRAID TO GO INSIDE!



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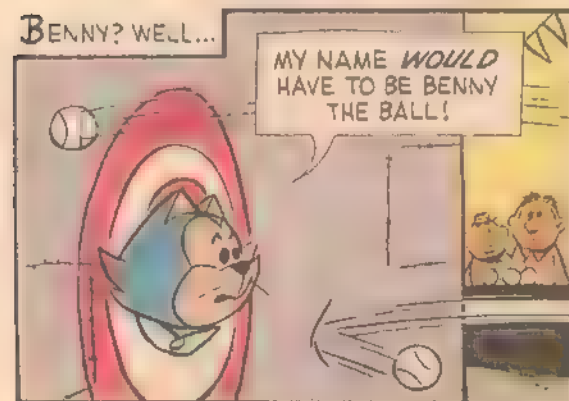
GET YOUR  
FANCY CANDY!  
I MADE IT  
MYSELF!

OOPS! I WASN'T  
SUPPOSED TO SAY THAT  
'CAUSE NOBODY WOULD  
BUY ANY!



BENNY? WELL...

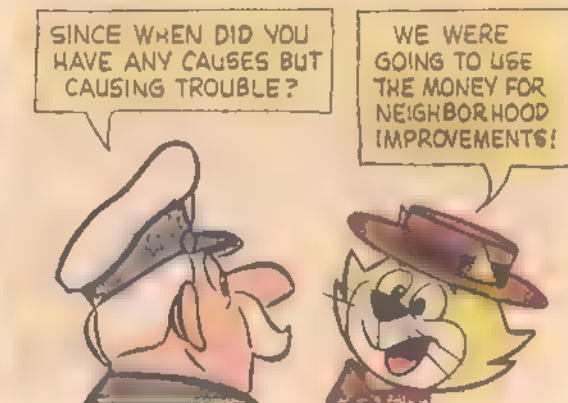
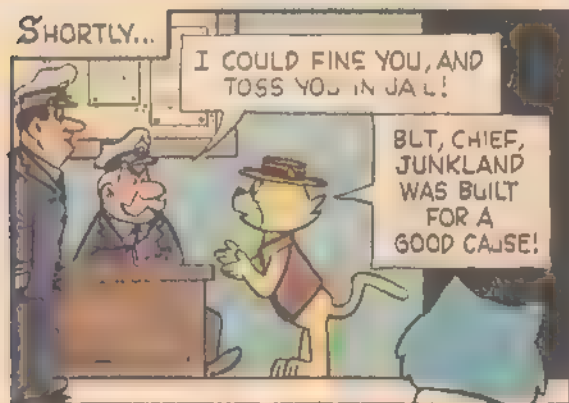
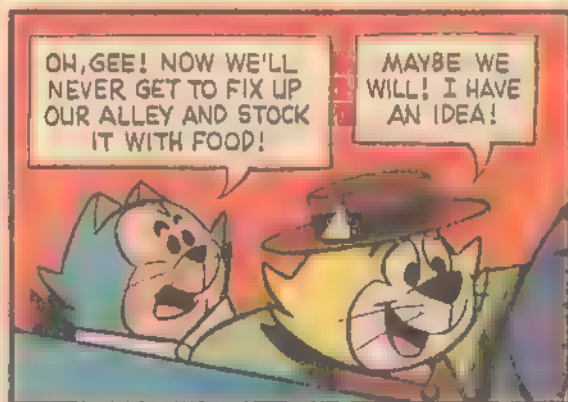
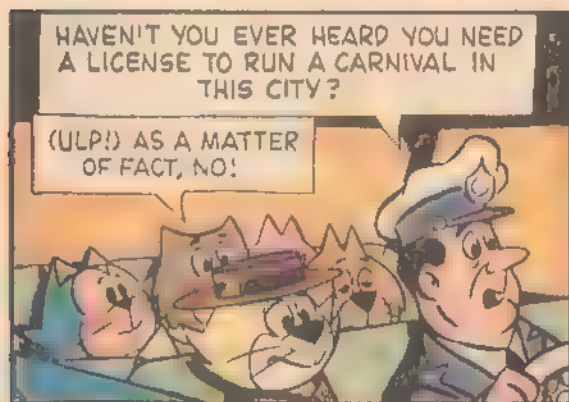
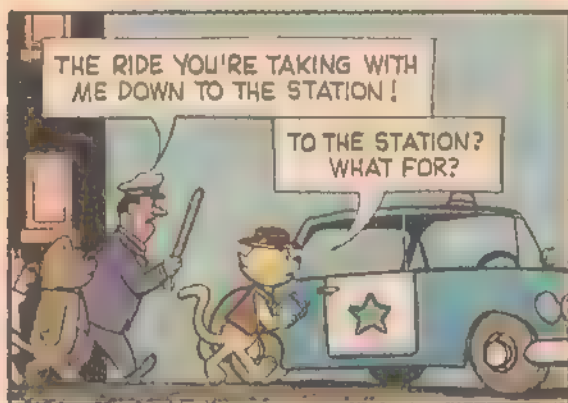
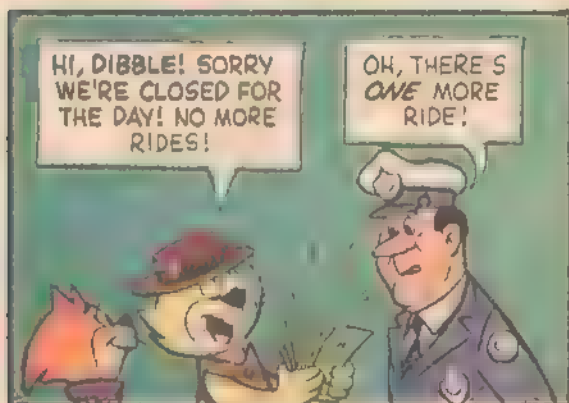
MY NAME *WOULD*  
HAVE TO BE BENNY  
THE BALL!



AND, OF COURSE, TOP CAT SITS  
ON TOP OF ALL THE MONEY...



LATER...





OUR ALLEY IS A DISGRACE! WE JUST WANTED TO FIX IT UP...ER, FOR THE GOOD OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD!

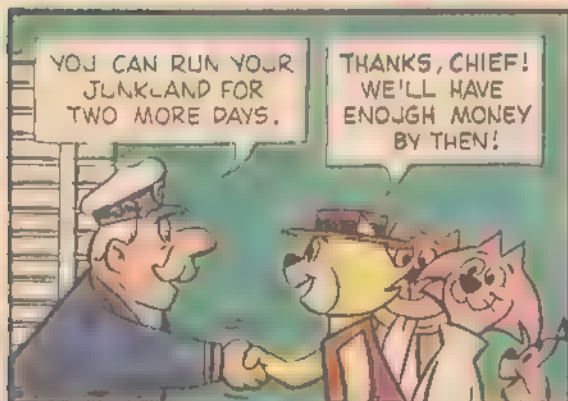


SPLendid! WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY SO IN THE FIRST PLACE? I'LL OVERLOOK THE LICENSE BIT!

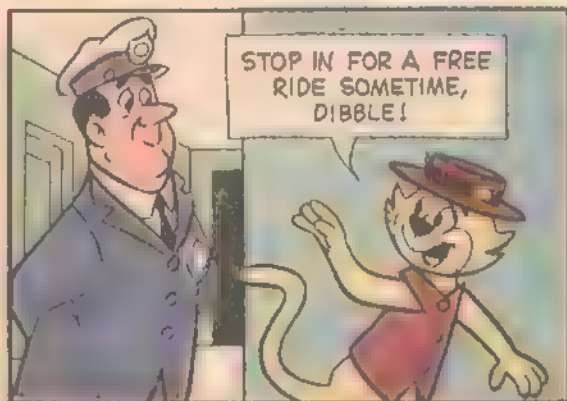


YOU CAN RUN YOUR JUNKLAND FOR TWO MORE DAYS.

THANKS, CHIEF! WE'LL HAVE ENOUGH MONEY BY THEN!



STOP IN FOR A FREE RIDE SOMETIME, DIBBLE!

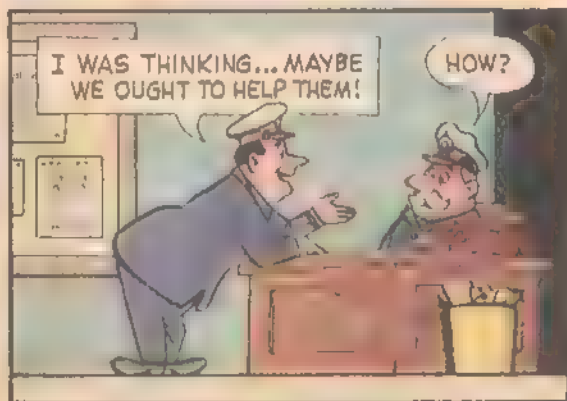


IF I KNOW THOSE CATS, THEY'RE FIXING THE PLACE UP FOR THE GOOD OF THEMSELVES, *NOT* THE NEIGHBORHOOD!



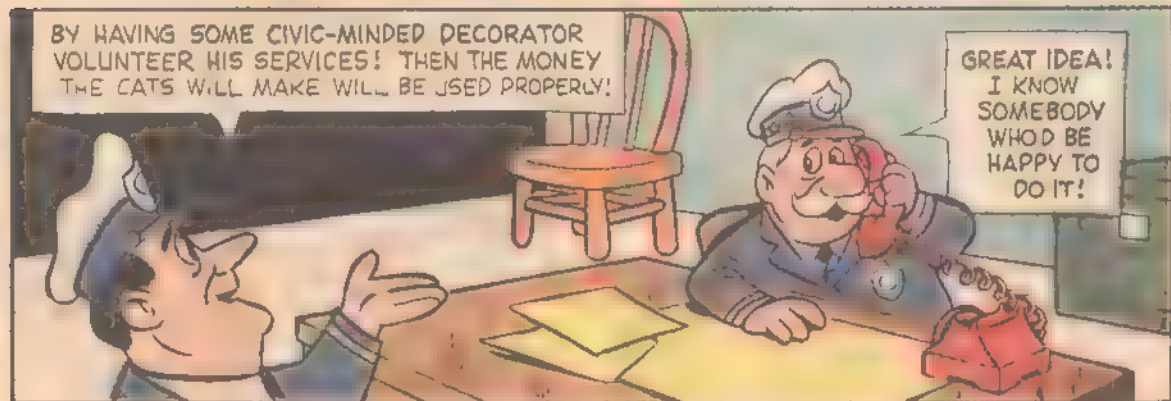
I WAS THINKING...MAYBE WE OUGHT TO HELP THEM!

HOW?

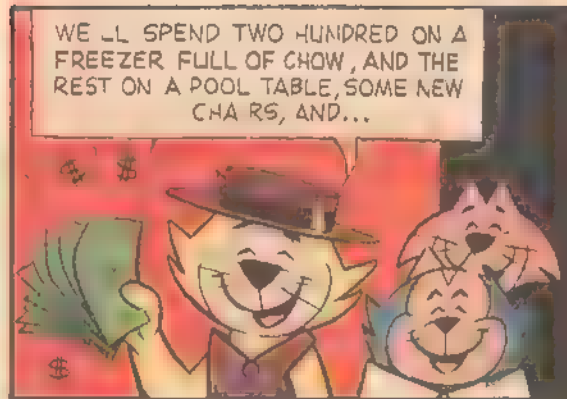


BY HAVING SOME CIVIC-MINDED DECORATOR VOLUNTEER HIS SERVICES! THEN THE MONEY THE CATS WILL MAKE WILL BE USED PROPERLY!

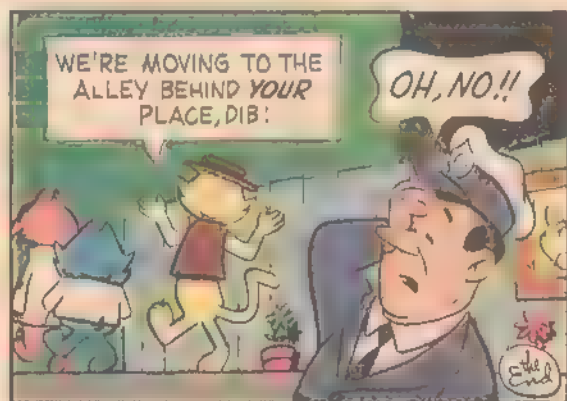
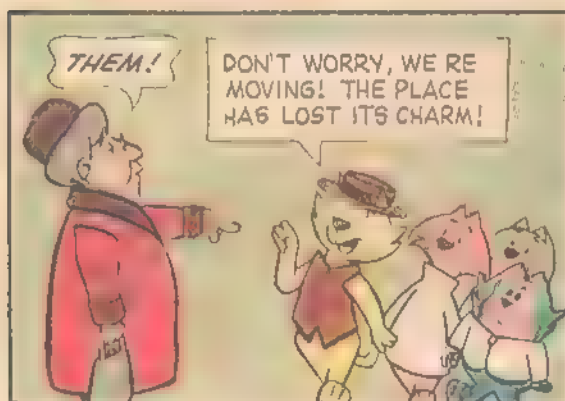
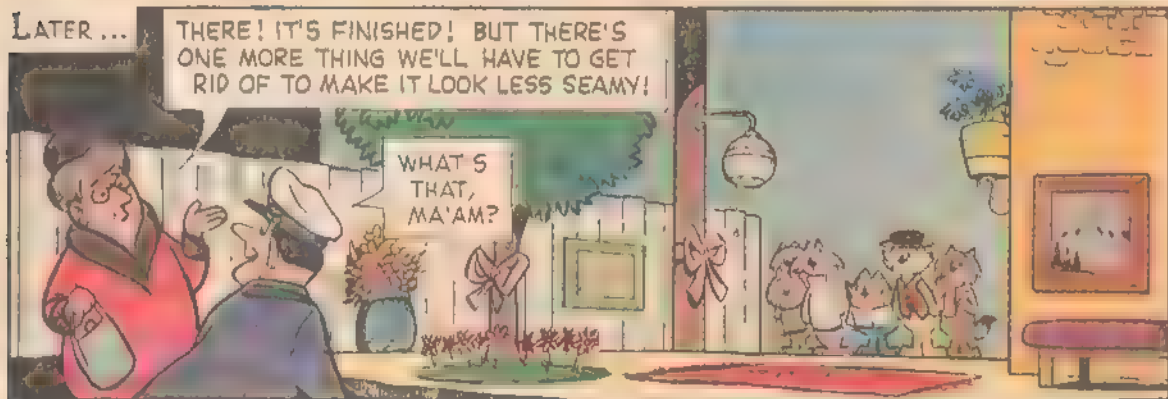
GREAT IDEA! I KNOW SOMEBODY WHO'D BE HAPPY TO DO IT!



TWO DAYS LATER...



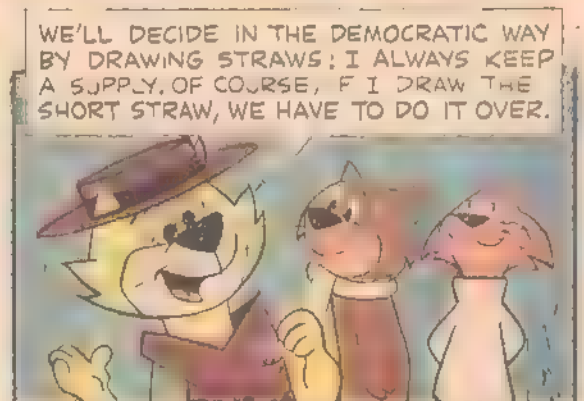
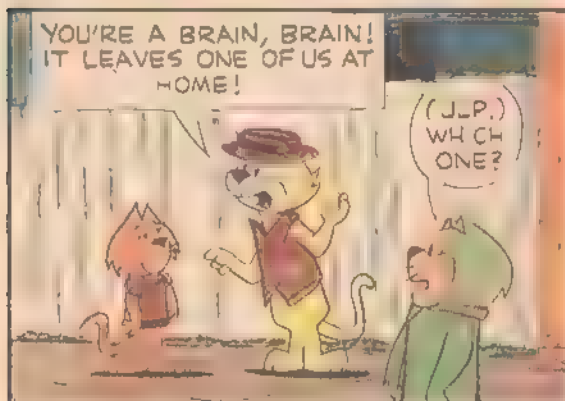
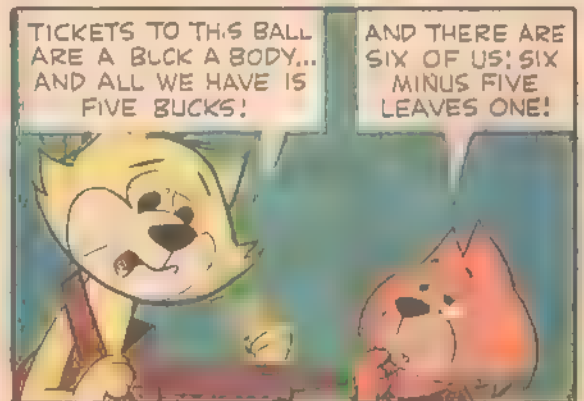
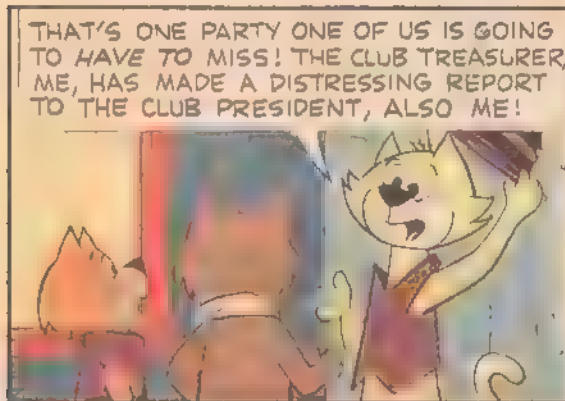
LATER ...

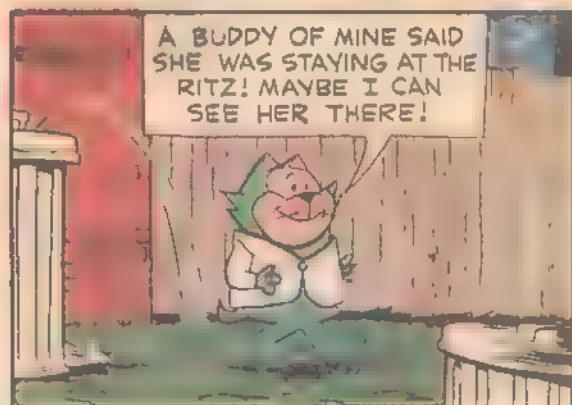
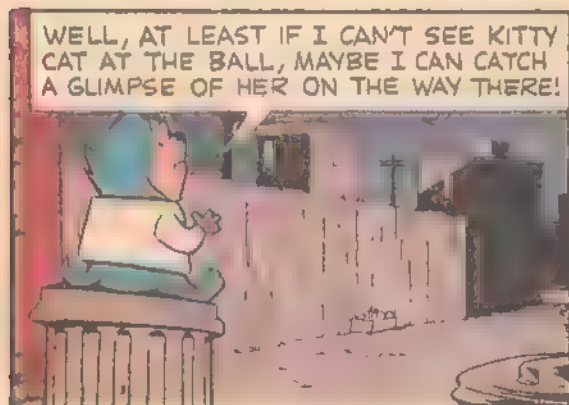
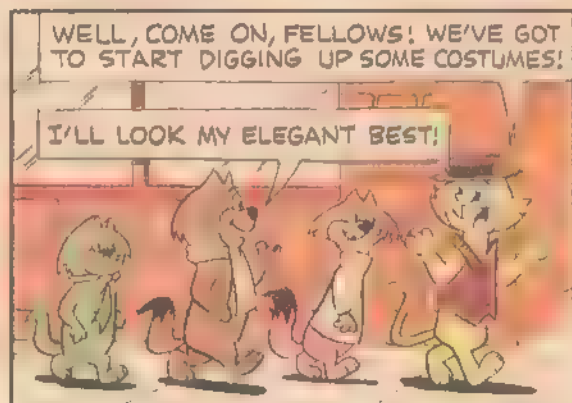
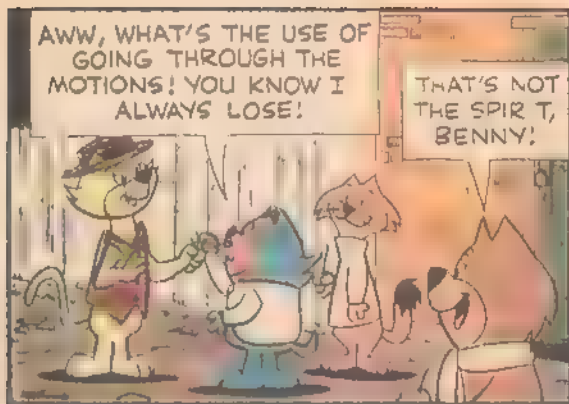




Hanna-Barbera TOP CAT

# HAVING A BALL





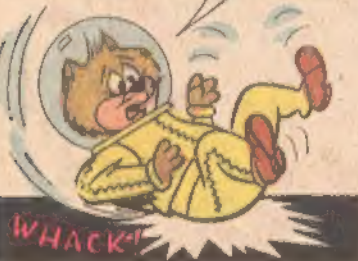


SHORTLY...

HURRY UP, RODNEY! I'M SUPPOSED TO ARRIVE AT THE BALL PROMPTLY IN THIS RENTED COACH! I DON'T WANT TO DISAPPOINT MY FANS!

OKAY! BUT THIS SUIT IS AWFULLY CUMBERSOME!

YIPE! HOW CAN THEY GET TO THE MOON IN SUITS LIKE THESE? I CAN'T EVEN STAND ON EARTH!



ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, RODNEY?

OUCH! NO! I TWISTED MY ANKLE!

MAY I HELP?

YEAH, PAL! HELP ME BACK INTO THE HOTEL! SORRY, KITTY! I CAN'T GO TO THE DANCE! I'LL HAVE TO SOAK THIS ANKLE!

OH, DEAR! WHAT AM I GOING TO DO NOW? I CAN'T GO TO THE DANCE WITHOUT AN ESCORT!

HOW ABOUT OUR LITTLE HELPER HERE?

(ULP!) ME?

SPLENDID! YES, YOU! TEE, HEE! YOU'RE CUTE, ANYWAY!

THERE'S NO TIME TO WASTE! WE'LL STOP ON THE WAY TO THE BALL AND GET YOU A COSTUME!



